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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 8

Line 17, please replace “a de-interleaver that dc-interleaves the third signal to” **with** -- a de-interleaver that de-interleaves the third signal to --.

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Line 41, please replace “a de-interleaver that dc-interleaves the third signal and a” **with** -- a de-interleaver that de-interleaves the third signal and a --.

Column 10

Lines 4-11, please replace current Claim 18:

18. The method of claim 17, wherein step (a) further comprises:
- (a1) using a multi-dimensional signal as the first signal;
 - (a2) directing each dimension of the multi-dimensional first signal along a separate conductor; and
 - (a3) encoding each dimension of the multi-dimensional first signal, wherein steps (b)-(d) are performed for each dimension.

WITH Claim 18, as originally filed:

18. The system according to claim 17, wherein:
- a first stage of the de-interleaving system de-interleaves each of the frequency tones of each of the transmission signals and possible error signals combined with the transmission signals during transmission to form third signals;

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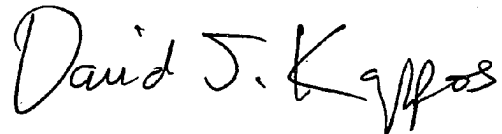
a first stage of the de-multiplexing system combines all the frequency tones for each dimension of the third signal to form a fourth signal;

the second stage of the de-interleaving system de-interleaves each of the fourth signals to form fifth signals; and

a second stage of the de-multiplexing system combines the fifth signals to form a sixth signal.

Signed and Sealed this

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